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For the next thirty days I will sell at 40 per cent. less than cost.
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The McCALL BROS. have opened out a general blacksmithing shop on the west side of Church street, near River Street where they are prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing in first-class style and at moderate rates.
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A LARGE SUPPLY OF THE GOOD OLD
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Repairing done neatly and warranted.
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Leading Hotel in Saskatchewan.
T. ORAM takes pleasure in informing the residents of Prince Albert and the travelling public that he has opened out his new hotel on Church street, where he will be pleased to welcome all his old patrons and as many new ones as may require his services. First-class table and attendance. Good accommodation for travellers. Well furnished rooms.
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Clearing Sale
For the next two months of all my
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Great Bargains in Hats,
Prices lower than ever. Terms strictly cash at
MRS. J. A. FRASER'S,
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NOTICE.
We are offering the balance of our
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ress
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For the Next Thirty Days at
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ROB'T BUCKLEY,
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FOR SALE.
The following, now lying on the bank of the Saskatchewan, in winter quarters, 30 miles north of Swift Current:
TWO GOOD STRONG BARGES,
30 feet wide, 200 feet long, about 4½ feet deep, capacity about 250,000 lbs. each. Also
Two Steamer steel Cables,
one of which is 1¼ inches thick and 1,300 feet long, and the other one inch thick and about 200 feet long. Any or all of the above will be sold cheap and on reasonable terms.
To any one wishing to freight cheaply from the railway to Prince Albert this is one of the best opportunities to make money, and for any one wishing to start a ferry and secure a good cheap cable this is their chance.
F. FRASER TIMS.
Swift Current.

PROCLAMATION.

District Electoral de Saskatchewan,
TO WIT:

Public Notice is hereby given to the electors of the electoral district aforesaid, that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the Seventeenth Day of January, 1887, I require the presence of the said electors at the

Court House, Prince Albert,

on THURSDAY, the 24TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, from nine until two of the clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating a person to represent them in the House of Commons in Canada, and that, in case a poll becomes necessary, such poll will be open on the day and during the time prescribed by law at the polling station in each of the polling divisions which are, after the nomination, specified by me in an election notice.

Of which all persons are he eby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand at Prince Albert this 26th day of January, in the year 1887.

A. SPROAT,
Returning Officer.

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Saskatchewan,

SAVOIR:

Avis Public est donne aux electeurs du susdit district electoral que, suivant l'Ordre de Sa Majesticie, date le Dix-septieme jour de Janvier, 1887, qui m'a ete remis, je requiere la presence des dits electeurs au

Palais de Justice, Prince Albert,

MARDI LE QUINZE FEVRIER,

depuis midi jusqu'a deux heures de l'apres midi afin de nommer une personne qui les representera a la Chambre des Communes du Canada, et dans le cas ou il serait necessaire de tenir une election, telle election aura lieu jour et au temps prescrit par la loi a la place de votation dans chacune des divisions que je specifierai apres la nomination dans l'avis d'election.

D'apres quoi, toutes personnes sont par les presentes requises de prendre avis et d'agir conformement.

Donne par ma main a Prince Albert a vingt-sixieme jour de Janiver, l'an 1887.

A. SPROAT,
Officier Rapporteur.

Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, 4th March, 1887, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, fortnightly each way, between Battleford and Saskatoon via Saskatchewan, from the 1st April next.

The conveyance to be made in a suitable vehicle.

The courier to leave Battleford every second Monday, after the arrival of the mail from Qu'Appelle Station, and arrive at Saskatoon within twenty-eight (28) hours.

Leave Saskatoon on the following Wednesday at 6 a.m. and arrive at Battleford within twenty-eight (28) hours, or before the arrival of the mail from Prince Albert.

Printed notice containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of Tender obtained at the Post Offices of Battleford, Saskatoon and Prince Albert, or at the office.

W. W. McLEOD,
Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Winnipeg, 7th January, 1887.

TELEGRAPHIC.

(By Special Telegraph.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 3.

Sir Charles Tupper has commenced active canvass in Cumberland County, supported by ex-Premier Pipes.

The Quebec Government having been defeated, Mercier has assumed office and formed a ministry in which Nationalite will have seats. An adjournment has been made to March 16th. The election of ministers takes place on the 19th inst.

Mr. Blake addressed a large public meeting in Montreal lately. His speech caused some sensation because of his slighting allusion to the H. B Railway.

Sir Donald A. Smith has commenced to canvass Montreal West in the Conservative interest.

An article in the Berlin *Post*, generally regarded as a semi-official organ, raising a cry of alarm over war preparations in France, has created a stir in the European stock market. The article has been very generally condemned.

The Italian army of occupation in the Soudan has been almost annihilated by the Abyssinians.

Dickie, of Garlyle, will oppose Perley in Eastern Assiniboia in the Reform interest.

Ross, of Moosejaw, has taken the field against Davin in Western Assiniboia.

Sir Charles Tupper having become Finance Minister, McLellan is now Postmaste-General and Campbell has retired. The latter is generally believed to be the coming Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario.

Van Heile, of the Southwestern Division of the C. P. R., has been appointed Superintendent of the Medicine Hat division.

For several days severe storms have prevailed between Broadview and the mountains, and communication has been almost suspended. A regular coal famine exists. A Calgary despatch says:—There is a complete blockade on the railway, both east and west. A train that left here going east on Sunday night last, is reported stuck thirty miles east of this point. Engines went down from here with supplies of coal and provisions for delayed passengers. Can get no intelligence of the condition of the track in the mountains, but it is probably seriously blocked by snow. The weather is intensely cold, and to make matters worse, a coal famine prevails. Efforts are being made to get a supply from the mines east and west, but freight cannot move on account of the snow blockade."

The North Dufferin election petition has been dismissed.

The aggregate value of improvements in Edmonton during the past year was $31,240. Not bad. The improvements for the year previous aggregared $13,455.

The greatest consolation to one growing old, is the improved surroundings which come with age, experience and wisdom. We are reminded of this fact by the appearance of the new Seed Annual of D. M. Ferry & Co., the celebrated seedsmen of Detroit, Mich. (They enjoy the enviable reputation of being the widest and best known firm in the business in the United States.) Millions of people, gardening both for profit and pleasure, have found ever increasing satisfaction and delight in using their seeds Every one desiring seeds of the highest type and best quality, should secure their Annual. It is sent free on application.

NOTICE!

A vote of the sleepers of the School District of St. Andrew's No. 8, will be taken on

Thursday, the 24th Day of February,

for the purpose of borrowing the sum of Six Hundred Dollars at 8 per cent. per annum. It is proposed to pay $75 and interest annually so as to pay off all in about ten years (1897). It is for the purpose of paying off the debt incurred in completing school and paying teacher's salary.

Voting will take place at the School House from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The qualification of voters shall be as stated in Sub Section 5 of Section 137 of the School Ordinance, 1885.

A. DUBREUIL,
Chairman.

CHAS. ADAMS, Secretary.
St. Andrew's Jan. 7th, 12.

CHIT-CHAT LOCALS

Gathered by our Reporters.

Cold weather.

Politics booming.

W. V. Maclise has left for Ft. a la Corne.

It is expected that Mr. Laird will arrive by the next mail

T. N. Campbell arrived back from Batoche on Monday last.

Mr. Letellier, of Ft. a la Corne, arrived in town this week.

The mail did not arrive until Wednesday last, owing to the recent storm.

A tea-meeting will take place in the Methodist Church, Goschen, on Tuesday evening next.

A literary and musical entertainment will take place in St. Paul's church next Friday night.

Mr. Saunders, of the Indian office here, has been transferred to Regina, and succeeded at this point by Mr. Vankoughnet.

Watts Soaps, 12 oz. bars—15 bars for $1. Morses' Soaps, 12 oz bars—15 bars for $1. Jumbo Soaps, 16 bars for $1 Royal Soaps, 12 oz bars—fifteen bars for $1. Hard Water Soaps, 12 oz. bars—15 bars for $1. Redpath, Armour & Co., West End.

We have received a letter from Mr. Clarke, of Clarke's Crossing, in reply to Mr. Molloy's letter, but as the latter is out of the political arena now and the former received the highest market price for his pork, there is no occasion for further discussion.

The storm of last week was the worst and the cold the most severe that has been experienced on the Saskatchewan for many years. High winds are not unusual, but high and extremely cold winds are. We trust this unsatisfactory state of the climate is not due to the near approach of the distinguished P. E Islander.

On last Friday evening Rev. Dr. Jardine delievered a very interesting and instructive lecture on "India from the Northwest." Though the night was exceedingly disagreeable there was quite a large number present. Rev. Mr. Campbell occupied the chair. The lecture treated of the past, present, and future of the Northwest of India, but we regret to say that owing to lack of space we are unable to give even a summary of it at present.

We take much pleasure in announcing that most of the swiftest skaters in the town, both among the citizens and police, have promised to take part in the ten-mile race to be held on the Saskatchewan rank, on Thursday evening, Feb. 10th. This being a handicap race in which W. B. Fish is to state 11 miles to each other competitor's 10 will make it more interesting. The race will be repeated on subsequent evenings until one of the competitors wins the champion medal two out of three times, each competitor to be handicapped according to the distance made in the first occasion.

Snow Flake Baking Powder, 30c per lb. Wheat Baking Powder, 25c per lb. White Pine dressed lumber, very cheap. Traders would do well to call and get wholesale prices. Redpath, Armour & Co.

A ball under the auspices of Kinistino Lodge, No. 16, A. F. & A. M., G. R. M., took place at the Queen's Hotel on Wednesday evening last. Though the night was cold, and many were too busy to attend owing to the fact that the mail only arrived that evening and was to leave the next morning, the attendance was large and all seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves. The billiard hall, in which the dancing took place, was tastefully decorated with flags and Masonic mottoes, under the direction of Mr. Ouillette. The diningroom was also decorated. The supper, which was provided by Mr. Oram, was all that could be desired. The party broke up about 3.30.

Hams, 18c, Pickle Pork, 12½c, Boneless Ham, 18c, Fresh Salmon 82 per doz. Paris Lamp Sugar, 8 lb. per $1, Fresh Lobsters, tins, $2 doz., Fresh Mackerel, tins, $1.50 per doz. Redpath, Armour & Co., West End.